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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	GUILLAN et al.	Examiner:	DENTZ, BERNARD I.
Serial No.:	10/563,404	Group Art Unit:	1625
Filed:	AUGUST 10, 2006	Docket No.:	15053.0026USWO
Title:	PROCESS OF OBTAINING TAXOSTEROIDS AND PRECURSORS THEREOF		

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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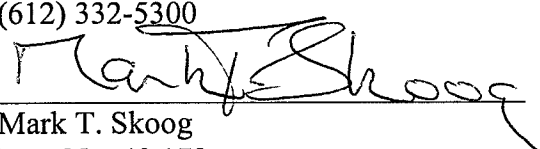
Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the communication mailed July 28, 2008, the period of response being extended from October 28, 2008 to November 28, 2008.

Please charge credit card in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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